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For:

METHOD OF MODULATING TISSUE GROWTH USING FRZB PROTEIN

Enclosed are:


- (X) Seven (7) sheets of informal drawings.
- (X) This application is a continuation of prior application 08/822,333 filed March 20, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part of 08/729,452 filed October 11, 1996.
- (X) In the specification on page 1, please replace the first paragraph to read as follows: "This application is a continuation of prior application 08/822,333 filed March 20, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part of 08/729,452 filed October 11, 1996."
- (X) A copy of Declaration and Power of Attorney from prior application is enclosed.
- (X) Request to Use Computer Readable Form From Another Application.
- (X) Incorporation by Reference. The entire disclosure of the prior application, from which a copy of the oath or declaration is supplied is considered as being part of the disclosure of the accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference therein.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.

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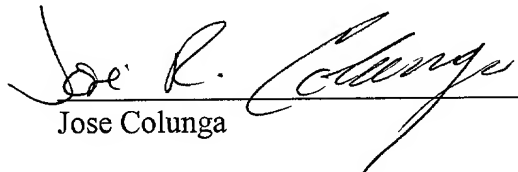
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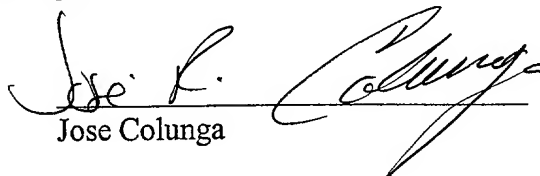
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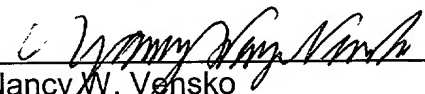
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Dear Sir:

The computer readable form in this application is identical with that filed in Application No. 08/729,452, filed October 11, 1996. In accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e), please use the only-filed computer readable form filed in that application as the computer readable form for the instant application. It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary change in application number and filing date for the computer readable form that will be used for the instant application. A paper copy of the Sequence Listing is included in the originally-filed specification of the instant application. The content of the paper and computer readable copies are the same.

Respectfully submitted,  
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